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(To be continued.)

The 16th U. S.

Editor National Tribune: Will please publish a short history of 16th U. S., my old regiment, oblige—Samuel Lewis, Laporte, Ind.

The 16th U. S. was organized by direction of the President May 4, 1861, and confirmed by Congress June 12, 1861. It was composed of three battalions of eight companies each. Sept. 21, 1861, the 2d battalion became the 26th U. S. and the 3d battalion the 34th U. S. The first Colonel was Andrew Porter, served during the war as a Brigadier General of Volunteers, and died Oct. 4, 1872. Gen. C. C. Sibley became colonel, April 20, 1864, and Gen. S. H. Crawford became Colonel Feb. 1, 1869. The Lieutenant-Colonels were H. M. Naglee, J. V. Bomford and G. W. Giddings. The Majors were F. F. A. J. Slemmer, Sidney Coolidge, T. W. Seward and William H. Carlin. The 16th U. S. lost 99 killed during the war and 181 died of disease. It belonged to Rousseau's Legion of the Fourteenth Corps, and was in the Cumberland.—Editor National Tribune.

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